

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

Maine's National Guard, 1300 officers and men, are in "emergency training" on orders from the War Department.

Treasure Island was jammed with 112,973 visitors for the final showing of the Golden Gate International Exposition at San Francisco Oct. 29. The fund-raising committee doubts if sufficient money can be raised to open the fair for the intended four months exhibition next year.

According to dispatches from London, the U. S. Arms Embargo repeal is considered, by the British, as a "victory for the allies."

About 1,000,000 children will be added to those already receiving benefits under the Social Security Act, it is reported by the Social Security Board.

The Bureau of the Census in Washington has issued preliminary figures, showing Maine to be the leading New England lumber state, with a cut of 217,532,000 board feet in 1938. 188,323,000 feet of it was soft wood.

The Department of Justice is returning \$300,000 to Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft evader. This is the net amount, after deduction of taxes, of his fortune confiscated when he fled army service in 1917.

Members of the CCC may be stationed in a temporary camp at Umbagog Lake to patrol the lake in further search for the five Berlin, N. H., men who disappeared while on a hunting trip Oct. 14. Snow, wind and rough waters have hampered the efforts of searching parties since that date.

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration reports it paid \$140,976 to Maine farmers, who cooperated on crop control programs, during the quarter ending Oct. 1.

President Roosevelt has issued an official proclamation, naming Thursday, Nov. 23, as Thanksgiving Day. Many states refused to accept the change from the traditional "last Thursday" and will observe the holiday on Nov. 30.

Dallas Dori, assistant WPA Administrator, ordered that no WPA workers, called for training with the National Guard, should lose their WPA benefits while engaged in military service.

An eskimo family, living in an air-conditioned igloo, will be among the skeleton crew in charge of the deserted New York World's Fair during the winter months. The exhibition closed Oct. 31 and will open May 25, 1940.

General Smedley D. Butler, U. S. M. G., Retired, classified all wars as rackets and stated that invasion of the United States is not feasible in an address before teachers at Lewiston last Friday night.

R. K. Colcord, 100, a native of Searsport, Maine, and former governor of Nevada, died at Carson City Oct. 30. He also served 13 years as superintendent of the U. S. mint at Carson City.

The War Department has requested full information about the principal highways of Maine, particularly around the large cities, industrial and defense points. The data is to be presented by the Bureau of Public Roads.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Grant Maxson is visiting in New York City.

Mrs. Frank Benson and son have been visiting relatives at Hebron.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bartlett have moved to the upstairs rent in the Gibbs house on Paradise Street.

Mrs. William L. Caldwell and Mrs. Alpheus Jackson and daughter Anne were recent visitors of Mrs. Frank Bartlett.

Miss Gene Farwell, who spent last week at Farwell & Wight's, returned to her home in Lowell, Mass. Sunday. Her grandmother, Mrs. A. R. Farwell, returned with her to visit a few weeks.

Due to an eight hours' delay on account of linotype troubles this week's issue of the Citizen reaches many of its readers later than usual.

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BETHEL TEACHER IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Dorothy Tucker, who was badly bruised and shaken in an auto accident, while on her way to the teachers convention at Lewiston last Thursday, is remaining at the C. M. G. hospital this week to rest and recover from the nervous and physical shock.

Miss Maxine Clough and Miss Alice Ballard who were taken to the hospital following the accident returned home Friday.

Miss Ballard suffered a broken finger, but was able to resume her teaching on Monday. Mrs. Frances Gunther is substituting for Miss Clough in the second grade and Miss Rebecca Carter is substituting for Mrs. Tucker in the third grade.

MRS. SAUNDERS HONORED AT SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise Halloween party and reception was tendered Grand Guard Addie Saunders by the members of Mishemokwa Temple, Pythian Sisters, of Hanover Monday evening.

The hall was attractively decorated in Halloween colors. The ushers, Kathryn Taylor, Perol Godwin and Kathleen Smith of this temple, Hermione DeShon of Evergreen Temple, and Elizabeth Gleason and Myrna Kimball of Walton Temple escorted in to the front of the hall Most Excellent Chief Madeline Dudley, Grand Guard Addie Saunders, Past Grand Chief Amelia Schwind of Rumford, Marion Mason, President of the State Past Chief Association, and Edward Bennett, Chancellor Commander of Oxford Bear Lodge. The words "Grand Guard" were in yellow letters on a black background over the receiving line. There was a short reception to the guests from Ellis Glen Temple, Andover; Ozoluc, Rumford; Walton, Mexico; and Evergreen, Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Carrie French was Mistress of Ceremonies. Music for the evening was furnished by Miss Susan Martin at the piano and Miss Walcott, the violin.

The following program was presented: Gifts from the Temple, presented by Mrs. Etta Brinck. Vocal solo and encore, Gertrude Kimball. Vocal solo, Miss Walcott. Arthur Dudley.

As a part of the program the hall was darkened and the ushers carrying lighted candles escorted Mrs. Brinck, who presented Mrs. Saunders with an enormous decorated cake with the words on it, "Congratulations, Grand Guard," a gift from Mrs. Brinck and her daughters. Remarks were made by the Grand Guard, Past Grand Chief Amelia Schwind, who likewise presented a gift, as did President Marion Mason with appropriate remarks.

A telegram was received and read from Grand Chief Edna Hall of Bridgton, expressing regrets at having a severe cold and being unable to attend, but sending best wishes.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served and the remainder of the evening was spent socially and at cards. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. There were about 65 present, which was very good considering the stormy night.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Thurston announce the engagement of their daughter, Josephine Eveleth, to Robert Andrews Whitman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Evander B. Whitman.

Miss Thurston and Mr. Whitman are both graduates of Gould Academy, and have employment at Bethel Inn.

No date has been set for the wedding.

YOUNGS GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY ON ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young were given a surprise party Monday evening at the Grange Hall in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary.

The affair, attended by over 100 guests, was planned by their son, Richard Young, Mrs. Clifford Merrill and Mrs. Philip Chapman.

On arriving at the hall the couple was conducted to honor seats at either side of the gift table. In the center of the table was a three-tier wedding cake with miniature bride and bridegroom, made by Mrs. Wade Thurston. After several selections were played by the Bethel Band and an original poem was read by Mrs. Laurence Lord, the gifts were opened by Mr. and Mrs. Young. They included many monetary gifts from various organizations and friends.

Dancing was enjoyed during the evening, interspersed with the following program: Tap dance, Mary Lou Chapman; song, "We've Come a Long Way Together," Quentin Hall, accompanied by Miss Barbara Hall; song and dance, Betty Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Laurence Lord; violin solo, Miss Muriel Hall.

The decorations and refreshments were in keeping with Halloween.

Guests at the party were Mrs. Tena Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Ray York, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Syll LeClair, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn and daughter Mary were in Portland Sunday.

The rain of the last week was welcomed by many whose water supply has been threatened or exhausted for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pillsbury and son of Rangeley spent a few days last week with Mrs. Lena Wright and family. Accompanied by Mrs. Wright they spent Friday in Hanover, the guests of Mrs. Chester Cummings.

The Garden Club of Bethel will hold its last meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Philip Sayles Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 8, at 3 o'clock. This will be the annual meeting Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts will speak on Gourds. There will be a competitive exhibition of table decorations for Thanksgiving. These are to be brought to Mrs. Sayles' home before the meeting.

Guests from out of town to attend the Grover-Norton wedding last week were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones, Fryeburg; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woodbury, Sweden; Mr. and Mrs. Eli Grover, Miss Verma Grover, Rupert and Howard Grover, Mason; Dewey Thayer, South Park; Rev. and Mrs. Louis Dole, Bath; Miss Jeannette Gordon, Elliot; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose, Portsmouth, N. H.; Mrs. Matthew Green and Mrs. Orin Mason, Bryant Pond.

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FOOTBALL

BERLIN HIGH SCHOOL
VS.
GOULD ACADEMY
at ALUMNI FIELD
2 p. m. SAT., NOV. 4
Admission 25c

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

The Men's Brotherhood met in the Methodist Church vestry Monday evening, Oct. 30. A good number were present. A bountiful supper was served by the committee, Norman Hall, John Anderson, and Wendell Gibbs, who also proved they could eat pie at all times.

After supper Willard Thayer lined up his tigers to play Robert York with his bears at dart ball. The bears won in a 4-3 score. The home run star was Harry Sawin.

The next meeting will be ladies' night. The supper committee is Robert York, Wendell Gibbs, and M. A. Gordon. The entertainment committee, Alfred Brown, Kenneth Brooks, and John C. Anderson.

GROVER-NORTON

Thursday evening, Oct. 26, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Norton, on Mechanic Street, Miss Lydia Lillis Norton became the bride of Walter H. Grover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Grover of Mason.

Rev. Louis A. Dole of Bath was the officiating clergyman, assisted by Rev. M. A. Gordon of Bethel. The single ring service was used. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of white tulle, a long veil worn by Mrs. Murchie A. Gordon at their wedding, with a coronet of pink and white rosebuds, carried white roses and sweet peas and a kerchief carried by brides in the Hannah Dustin Sargent family for generations.

Miss Sylvia Bird of Bethel, who was the bridesmaid, wore cerise moire tulle and carried a shower bouquet of cerise roses and snapdragons tied with cerise chiffon. Edwin Brown of Bethel was the best man.

The wedding march, "Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin," was played by Miss Herbertina Norton, sister of the bride, who wore a formal dress of aqua rayon satin with black velvet.

The decorations for the wedding service were white with a background of green ferns.

Mrs. Anita Dole of Bath sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Barbara Hall.

The ushers were Rupert and Howard Grover, brothers of the groom, and Maurice Brooks, president of the Epworth League, of which the couple are members.

The gift book was in charge of Irving Brown.

The decorations for the reception, which followed immediately after the ceremony, were pink and white and were in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose of Portsmouth, N. H. The refreshments were in charge of Mrs. John Fuller, assisted by Mrs. Sadie Allen and Mrs. Sadie Robertson, and served by Misses Phyllis and Betty Merrill, Mary Robertson, Rachel Gordon, Wilma Bean, Verna Grover, and Muriel Hall.

A large wedding fruit cake was baked by Mrs. Sadie Robertson. The guest book was in charge of Miss Arlene Brown.

The bride's traveling costume was red and black with black suede accessories.

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The meeting of the Junior Guild will be held next Wednesday evening, Nov. 8, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary Chadbourne.

On the following evening, Nov. 9, will be held a joint meeting of the Guild and the Ladies' Club.

The Ladies' Club held a meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. E. Hanscom. Dr. Hanscom gave a talk on "Experiences in Collecting Antiques" after which those present were invited to view his collection of antiques. Mrs. Hanscom served tea with Mrs. H. T. Wallace pouring.

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MILTON COUPLE WED 50 YEARS AGO

The entire community gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Enos A. Farnum in Milton Thursday, Oct. 19, it being the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. A short program was given as arranged by Miss Clara Jackson. Sickness prevented Miss Jackson from attending so Miss Forence Burnham had charge. The program was put on by former students of Miss Jackson and Miss Ida Swett, music superintendent in Rumford schools.

Musical selections, saxophone and piano accompaniment.

Irene Reynolds, Shirley Casey Original reading, Mrs. W. H. Ross Vocal solo, "Long, Long Ago."

Reading, Mrs. Ida Swett Evelyn Wilbur Vocal solo, "I Love You Truly."

Reading, Wayne Swett

Remarks and presentation of a gift of money, L. B. Williams, superintendent of schools

Vocal selections, "Perfect Day," "Silver Threads Among the Gold," Mrs. Ida Swett

Ice cream was furnished by W. H. Ross, district superintendent of the Standard Oil Company.

FINAL FOOTBALL GAME SATURDAY

Gould Academy will wind up its 1939 football season by entertaining their neighboring state rivals, Berlin High. The local eleven showed considerable improvement in their 13-0 win over Wilton Academy and although Gardner Smith has been lost to the team by the 20-year age limit, the players feel that they can give a good account of themselves in the finale.

Last year the New Hampshire boys threw a scare into the local fans by way of the air when they managed two touchdowns in a row. Gould came back strong in the last period however and won out by a 33-13 score. The game this year however will be another story with a "nip and tuck" battle anticipated and the winning team the one that can capitalize on any breaks it might receive.

This game is scheduled to start promptly at 2 p. m. with Bornstein, Gibsen, and Fortunato doing the officiating.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was given Marion Chapman at her home Tuesday evening by her mother, Mrs. Philip Chapman, assisted by Virginia Chapman. Games were played and refreshments were served. A birthday cake was made by Mrs. Henry Godwin. The honor guest received many gifts.

Those present were Caroline Wight, Vera Leighton, Ida Lee Clough, Barbara Coolidge, Barbara Poole, Josephine McMillin, Janice Young, Alice Bennett, Hugh Scarborough, Stanley Davis, Glendon McAllister, Raymond Wentzell, Gilbert LeClair, Robert Greenleaf, Reginald Godwin, Richard Bryant, Marion Chapman, Virginia Chapman, Mrs. Ralph Young and Mrs. Chapman.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge held its first card party of the season last Thursday evening with 11 tables in play. High scores were won by Mrs. O. A. Pratt and F. L. Edwards. Consolations went to Mrs. Robert Kirk and James Croteau. On next Thursday evening, Nov. 9, will be the first of a series of four parties, with a grand prize to be presented to the person holding the highest score, and a consolation prize for the holder of the lowest score in the series. These prizes will be awarded at the fourth party and will be on display at the party on Nov. 9.

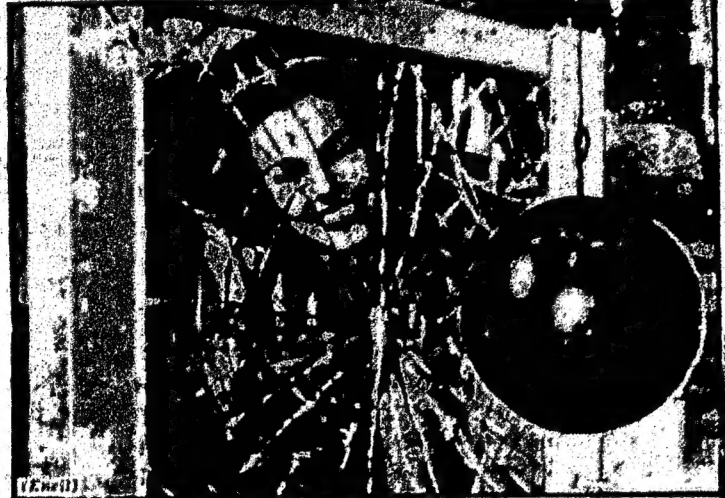
People and Spots in the Late News



OVER HERE . . . Standing room was plentiful on giant 16-inch guns, among variety of coast defense weapons tested and shown to public at 20th annual meeting of Army Ordnance association at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. High-ranking officers of the services, and congressmen and industrialists watched tests.



DONE WITH RIBBONS . . . An engaging set of three matching accessories—beret, fringed scarf and belt—offered as suggestion for national ribboncraft competition. This ensemble was whipped up with about nine yards of ribbon, belt buckle, scarf fastener and a bit of skill with the fingers.



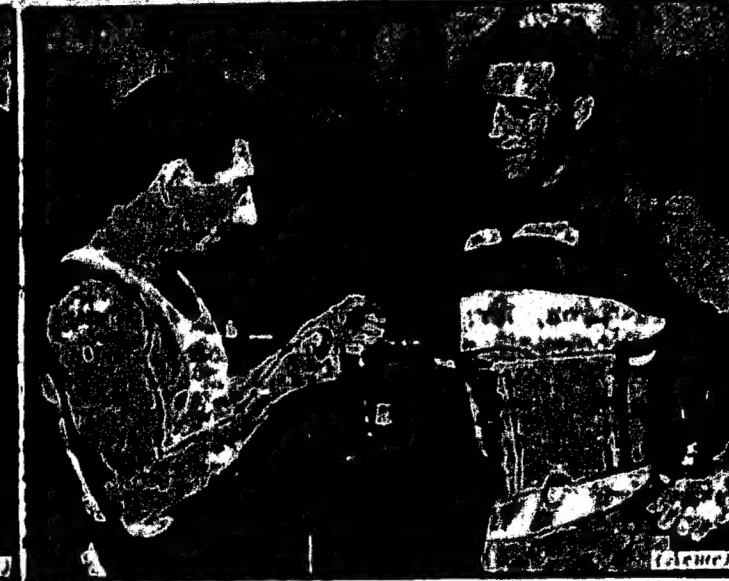
(GLASS IS SAFE . . .) With emphasis on safety at National Auto Show, one literally "smashing" demonstration saw 16-pound bowling ball slammed against pane of new high-test safety plate glass, standard equipment all around on many 1940 models. Despite terrific impact, young lady crouching behind glass feared no flying particles.



WHAT PRICE? . . . Government's yardstick for gauging fair war-time retail prices will be low chain store prices made possible by efficient operating methods, predicts George Feldman, Washington economist and author, declaring anti-chain store taxes must be repealed to aid Federal coordination of distributive system in possible emergency.



BRITISH TOYS, 1939 . . . Christmas toy previews in London reflect war situation as balloon "barrage" with aircraft-entangling drop lines, anti-aircraft guns with sandbag protection, A. R. E. shelters and army lorries loom as popular Santa Claus items.



GRIDIRON CHIC . . . In tune with latest women's fashions, Ken Strong, husky back of New York football Giants, gets laced into wasp-waist corset—but it's really not vainness, for the star plunger needs the corset to brace a strained back.

BRYANT POND

Tuesday evening, October 24th The D. of U. V. had their supper at the Social Dining room and in the evening entertained Department President Mrs. Ella Henderson of Milo Judith Grover Tent No. 17 went through their work and received compliments on the work. After the business meeting a quiz contest was enjoyed Mr. Henderson was a visitor. Judith Grover Tent has an invitation Friday evening November 3rd to visit Elizabeth Crockett Blake Tent at Norway and several members plan to accept the invitation.

Ashburn Ladd and daughters Lillian and Maralin have moved from Ned Swan's rent to the Sweet bungalow on the Gore.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gerriah plan to move to the rent vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Gerriah.

Miss Alice Andrews was bitten severely on her arm by a dog Tuesday afternoon and the dog has been killed. Miss Andrews is recovering.

Mrs. Homer Farnum went to Lakeport, N. H. with Louis Terrill's folks Wednesday to visit their grandmother. They returned home Thursday.

Miss Ramona Farnum went to Gorham, N. H. to visit her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry a few days recently.

Schools did not keep Thursday and Friday as the teachers went to the teachers' convention at Lewiston.

Rev. James MacKillop and wife and son, Howard, also Misses Dor-

was immediately taken to a hospital, but no bones were broken and she was not seriously hurt. After the police investigation Mr. MacKillop went on to Massachusetts where they visited his daughter Miss Thelma MacKillop, a student at Gordon College and Miss Dunbar's folks. They returned home Saturday evening.

BRYANT'S MARKET

— FRIDAY-SATURDAY —

POT ROAST	lb. 25c	Superba	Vacuum Jar
RUMP STEAK	lb. 29c	COFFEE	lb. 29c
Clayton		COFFEE	2 lbs. 29c
SLICED BACON	lb. 23c	An Introductory Price	
Clayton		ROYAL GUEST	
SPINACH	peck 15c	COFFEE	lb. 21c
SPINACH	peck 15c	IGA Quik or Regular	
APPLES	6 lbs. 19c	ROLLED OATS	small pkg. 8c
Red Emperor			large pkg. 17c
GRAPES	2 lbs. 15c	Baker's VANILLA	2 oz. 25c
Sweet July		Dawn Soft Crepe	
ORANGES	2 doz. 29c	TOILET PAPER	3 rolls 19c
Gold Medal		Golden Rod	
FLOUR	24 1/2 lb. bag 99c	CHOCOLATE DROPS	2 lbs. 25c
Full Count		Mello Puff	
MATCHES	6 boxes 21c	MARSHMALLOWS	lb. 15c
SUPREME		Fancy New York State	
FLOUR	24 1/2 lb. bag 79c	CHEESE	lb. 29c
WALNUT TOP DATES	lb. 25c	IGA Fancy	
Jay Tee Bulk		TOMATOES	No. 2 can 12c
MACARONI	2 lbs. 13c	OXYDOL	2 lbs. pkgs. 41c



GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter Eleanor Jordan from Mechanic Falls were recent Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Andrews and family from Gorham, N. H. were calling on relatives in this place Sunday.

Mrs. Jannette Trefethern and son Emerson Trefethern, and Arthur Whitman all from Portsmouth, N. H. who had been sojourning at C. L. Whitman's for the past week returned home Sunday.

Karl J. Stearns and sister, Miss Gwendolyn Stearns enjoyed a trip to Quebec, Canada for a few days last week.

Mrs. J. B. Abbott recently spent the day at East Bethel with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hall and Francis Gilson and Miss Alice L. Mundt from Worcester, Mass. were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Mundt.

James Mundt had a severe attack of asthma recently requiring the attention of a physician.

ROWE HILL

Wilmer Bryant and Beryl Martin have been working for Durward Lang on Curtis Hill.

Clarence Palmer was in Milton Monday.

Frank Packard and son Donald of South Paris are at their camp hunting. They got a deer Friday.

Mrs. Ray Hanscom was in Norway and South Paris Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Palmer has gone to Milan N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Bryant and Wilmer Bryant spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lang at Pinhook.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Ring spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ring at Watford.

Glenn Martin spent the week-end at Colby Ring's.

WEST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dupee visited Mrs. Dupee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Lowell the past week. Their two daughters will remain until Christmas with their grandparents.

Mrs. Clayton Kendall and son Marvin were in Lewiston on Saturday. Marvin went to Dr. Raymond for treatment.

Hollis Hutchinson is working at the Newton-Tebbets mill.

The Parent-Teacher Association held its regular meeting Wednesday evening. Mrs. Iva Hutchinson had charge of the program.

Clarence Rolfe is moving his family to the Ervin Hutchinson house for the winter.

Cleve Kneeland and John Murphy who have been visiting Mr. Kneeland's sister, Mrs. Fred J. Lovejoy, returned to Salem, Mass., on Friday.

The Young People's Dance at the Grange Hall on Friday evening was well attended.

Joseph Barbour spent a few days with his family here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leavitt of Norway visited friends at West Bethel Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland and daughter Beverly, also Doris Barbour were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mrs. Clara Abbott left last week for a trip to California and the West coast. She is accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Carrie Eicher of Harpswell.

Several cards and letters have been received here from H. N. Head who is on an extended visit to the west. Mr. Head is expected to return sometime in November.

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WEST PARIS

The Oxford Association of Universalists held its 75th annual session Thursday at the Universalist Church with nine ministers present: Rev. Josephine Folsom, Pittsfield; Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, W. Paris; Rev. W. H. Gould, Turner; Rev. George W. Stas, Turner Center; Rev. Robert Lewis, Livermore Falls; Rev. Weston Gate, Auburn; Rev. H. A. Markley, Mechanic Falls; Rev. Kenneth Hawkes, Waterville; Rev. Harold I. Merrill, Brownfield. There were 87 delegates present. The Good Will Society furnished dinner and supper.

Mrs. Ella Cole is very ill and under the care of a trained nurse. Charles H. Bates is ill and confined to the house.

W. H. Emery, G. L. Emery, Emma Emery and some of their families—two carloads—went to Wilton last Sunday to attend the funeral of their sister who died at Newton Center, Vt.

Will Bowker of Portland visited at Charles Curtis' and Ella May Curtis' last week.

Charles Bates, who was taken sick a week or more ago, is improving. It was a heart attack and he was unable to lie down for several nights.

District Deputy Ellis Davis visited the West Paris Juvenile Grange last Friday night and for inspection.

The next meeting of the West Paris Grange will be a special evening meeting Nov. 10, when the first and second degrees will be conferred. They were not worked at the last meeting as was expected. There were two lady visitors present at the last meeting from Amherst, Mass., who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean.

Mrs. Jennie B. Dunham has taken rooms for light housekeeping in E. B. Curtis' house.

Ellsworth D. Curtis Jr. and Arthur R. Cummings started for Fellsboro, Fla., Sunday night, where they have employment.

Mrs. Evelyn Gray, who went to a Lewiston hospital for surgical treatment about six weeks ago, is slowly improving. She has been staying in Dr. Edwin Kay's home for the past two or three weeks. It is uncertain when she may return. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stetson and family have moved into her rent, recently vacated by Lucy Barrows.

Marcus Strother of East Oxford has employment at the Wilson-Peverly novelty mill. He and his wife, formerly Elizabeth Waterhouse, plan to move here in the near future.

Stanley O. Andrews is the new Boy Scout Master, taking Mr. Millett's place.

The D of V. will serve a 10 cent supper at their hall Monday evening. Thelma Edmunds is chairman.

Fred W. Waterhouse is working this week for Mrs. Flora Cum-

William Allen White Appeals for Support for "Cash and Carry" Plan

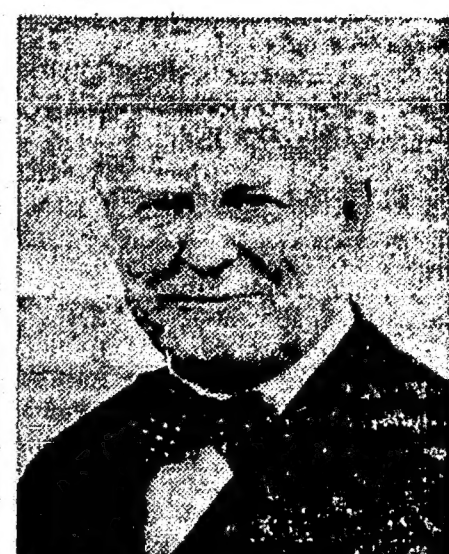
NEW YORK, N. Y.—Heading a nation-wide Non-Partisan Committee for Peace through Revision of the Neutrality Law, William Allen White, noted author and editor of the Emporia (Kansas) Gazette, issued a statement warning that the course recommended by the extreme isolationists would throw the country into panic and a deeper depression that may shock the country more than war.

Mr. White's Committee, which includes men and women prominent as leaders in religion, education, and the agricultural and business life of the nation, is working to support President Roosevelt's stand for peace and the proposed revision of the Neutrality Law being debated in Congress. Mr. White has enlisted both Democrats and Republicans, and other political leaders, to work with his Committee.

"There is no royal road to peace," Mr. White said in a recent statement. "If we keep the extreme isolationist position our economic maladjustment will throw this country into panic and a deeper depression which may shock us more than war. If we keep the present embargo law our ships and sailors carrying the materials of war—steel, oil, wheat, cotton, and commodities needed to win a war—will be subject to attack on the high seas. Similar attacks led us into war under President Wilson."

"If we take the cash and carry plan we are in danger of becoming the world's target by reason of our position as the world's merchant. But the risk is less if we do not allow our American ships to take the materials and munitions of war to either belligerent."

"This cash and carry law is



America's peaceful contribution to the world's inevitable struggle that is gathering on the shores of western Europe. We are not risking our flesh and blood. We are not bartering the lives of our boys by opening our shores to the democracies who come asking for the weapons to protect their rights, and food with which to fight famine. We are, instead, building up our own defenses, shielding our own world, the world we love in this western hemisphere, from the invader's army, defending our own homes, making our own liberties secure."

The Non-Partisan Committee, which Mr. White heads, has its national headquarters at 8 West 40th Street, New York City, and affiliated groups in more than thirty states.

Mr. White has appealed to individuals and groups wishing to help the work of the Committee, to write to him direct at the national headquarters.

mings, Oxford Fore Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Smith entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cummings and daughter at dinner last Sunday night.

While on a business trip to Portland last Thursday, A. R. Cummings and family attended the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Felt, Bert Morey, and Miss Myrtle Waterhouse, all of Portland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Noyes last Sunday.

A large crowd attended the weekly West Paris fire department's beano game at Town hall last Wednesday evening.

Lewis Proctor secured a small deer one day last week. G. L. Emery has also shot one.

Mrs. Edith Emery and son Dale went camping last week Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard and son Donald of South Paris at their camp on North Pond. Donald, 14 years old, shot a small deer.

Ellis Cummings, Irving Herrick, Tommy Verrill, Homer Smith and Gordon Emery are among those who are spending the week in Lewiston as members of the National Guard.

Oriental Cream



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GREENWOOD CENTER

Lester Cole hauled a load of firewood for Beryl Martin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brazier, Mrs. Francis Dee, Lloyd Sykes and friend of Portland were dinner guests at R. L. Martin's Friday the 27th.

Stanley Seames shot an eight point buck recently. Forrest Emery of West Paris got a small deer in the old Penley orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Abbott, Mechanic Falls, were at their camp on Twitchell Lake Sunday. Mr. Lehto of Greenwood City has been sawing wood for him with his saw machine.

Mrs. R. K. Hanscom, Rowe Hill spent one day last week with Mrs. Beryl Martin.

Jim Marshall was in Waterford recently.

They are tearing the old Ames buildings down to make a camp at Forrest Emery's feldspar mine.

Elmer Lyons of Rumford called in the vicinity recently.

Leroy Morgan visited at D. R. Cole's recently.

HOWE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Roberts of Locke Mills were Sunday callers of Mrs. Roberts' parents at Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Loring Roberts and granddaughter Elinor were callers Thursday evening of Mrs. Mae Grindle in Albany.

Sunday evening many families around Locke Mills listened to one of their local boys, Stanwood Newell sing over WCOU radio station in Lewiston. It was agreed he did a splendid job.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Strother of Oxford spent Saturday with Mrs. Strother's parents in Locke Mills.

Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews were Willard Cole and Mrs. Ernest Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford are taking a brief vacation from the mill.

Lee Roberts spent Friday night with his sister in Oxford.

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GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Lauri Tamminen and son, David, of Yarmouth were at George Cole's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Walsanen have moved into Tom Huotari's rent for the winter.

Miss Sirka Saarinen of Tubbs District was at her home here Sunday.

Mrs. Colista Morgan attended the convention in Lewiston on Thursday and Friday.

Pupils not absent or tardy for the first six weeks of school are: Helen Tamlander, Lillian Miettinen, Ruth Morgan, Wallace Morgan and Alta Millett.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. W. B. Rand is at the Osteopathic Hospital in Portland for treatment.

Miss Mildred Churchill of Mechanic Falls is visiting her sister, Mrs. Donald Tebbets.

Mesdames Mabel Farrington, Ruth Ring, Florence Swift, Emma Day, Edith Littlefield, and Bertha Davis attended the game party at Bryant Pond Tuesday afternoon.

The Greenwood Community Club have started their winter series of card parties. The club has just purchased a carpet for the church.

The schools held a Halloween social and dance at the hall Tuesday evening. Pies were sold.

CALENDARS

Advertising Novelties

If you are interested in an attractive advertising calendar for 1940 it will be to your interest to inspect the line of samples which we have on display. There is ample variety in design, quality and price to meet the average need, and we can fill any demand not covered in the line we are showing. Many beautiful pictures are offered in these items. We can also supply thermometer and mirror calendars, bumper signs, paraffin signs, asbestos mats, or any printed novelty. Get our prices before ordering elsewhere.

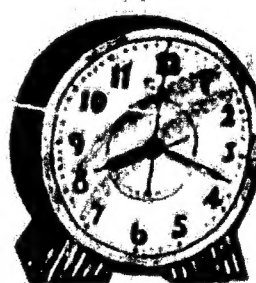
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1939

40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS

Nov. 1, 1899

For several months the Grand Trunk station at this place has been given over into the hands of carpenters, and though Station Agent Chandler and Baggage master Barker have doubtless been obliged to put up with some inconvenience, the marked improvements that have been made can but be appreciated by them now.

The trustee building at Hebron Academy was burned last night. There were some 60 boarders in the building at the time of the fire, all of whom escaped without injury.

"THEY TELL ME"

If you have been reading the auto ads these last few weeks perhaps you have noticed most of these new 1940 models have got sealed beam headlights. Some fellow must have developed a super-sales streak the way they all fell for it. But whatever they did I don't think they named it right. However they sealed that beam they didn't seal it in. It gets in your own eyes so you can't see clearly. In fact you can see nothing. You may remember back a few years some of these smart fellows that weren't in the model T class used to kick and suffer terribly over the little Ford's lights. Now these big nice cars have lights that are a darned sight worse. Just try to walk on ride up Main St. when some fellow with his 1940 car parks and leaves the lights turned up. If you could see to turn around it would be safer to go around some other way. Yes, probably this is "sour grapes," because my car will have to go me a spell yet. And perhaps I am barking up the wrong tree. Maybe the lights wouldn't be so bad if the lucky driver knew enough to dim 'em a little when he is meeting me or has stopped his car and doesn't need his now streamlined lights to see with. Fredo Brown

HANOVER

Mrs. Frank Douglas is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders of Houlton were week-end visitors of his parents. He was one of the lucky hunters in town and carried home a nice deer.

Michener's Temple, Pythian Sisters held their regular meeting Friday afternoon with 21 members in attendance. After the regular order of business plans were made for inspection at the next meeting and a rehearsal of the work completed the afternoon session.

IT'S ABOUT TIME!



NEWS ITEM: Communists to be ousted from Government jobs.

NEWRY CORNER

Mrs. Bertha Davis was in town recently in the interest of the Farm Bureau membership drive.

Mrs. Daisie Warren, Mrs. Grace Arsenault, Mrs. Grace Hulbert and Barbara were callers on Mrs. Leslie Corbett in Bethel recently.

The Young People held a social in the Grange Hall Friday evening. Mrs. Nellie Holt and Mrs. Selma Chapman attended a party at Hanover town hall Monday night given in honor of Mrs. Addie Saunders by the Pythian Sisters.

The Farm Bureau meeting on Christmas Decorations as previously scheduled for Nov. 15 will be held at the Grange Hall here instead of at Mrs. Arsenault's home as it's a joint meeting for Upton, North Rumford and Newry. There will be someone present from the State Division to demonstrate the different uses of evergreens, fir boughs and what not for home decorations.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD FOOTBALL PICTURES



Striking football shots are easy at practice sessions—real action, if you have a fast shutter; posed action with slower cameras. Make a collection this season!

THERE'S drama for your camera

In this season's football activities—and, strangely enough, some of the finest, most striking football action pictures are the easiest to take.

Naturally, you'll take your camera to the games, so as to get a record of what happened. But for really dramatic shots, the place to go is the practice sessions, where you'll be more free to move about, and can get closer to the players.

If you have a fine camera with fast lens and speedy shutter, of course you can shoot genuine rapid action—such as in the picture above. That leap would call for a shutter speed of at least 1/200 second—if you caught the player at the peak—and preferably 1/400 or 1/500, to be really on the safe side.

But, even if your shutter is too slow for such shooting, don't feel

handicapped. In leisure moments during practice, or after the season, most players will be glad to pose for you as if in action. And action poses can be surprisingly realistic.

Here are two hints. First, keep the camera near the ground, tilted slightly upward. This low position makes the figures tower dramatically—and also yields a good sky background. Second, use a color filter if you possibly can. A medium yellow filter will be best—it gives good tone quality to the sky, brings out whatever clouds there are, and the exposure increase required is very slight.

See if you can't build up a good album of striking football shots this season. Gridiron shooting makes a splendid camera specialty—and the pictures are distinctly out of the "routine snapshot" class.

John van Guilder

CENTER LOVELL

Mrs. Bert Kendall and daughter Pauline entertained an all day Sewing Bee at their home Tuesday. A bountiful turkey dinner with all the fixings was served at noon to 19 ladies and four children.

Excavating for the cellar for the Parsonage was commenced last week. John Flint and crew from Bridgton are doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilkinson and baby are with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Nickerson at Chocorua. N. H. Mr. Wilkinson has work at West Ossipee.

Ruth Allen was one of the lucky deer hunters the past week.

Mrs. Hattie Lyons has closed Boulder Brook Camps for the season and returned to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farnham from Bridgton and Percy Farnham from Longmeadow, Mass. were Monday callers at Herbert McKeen's.

Rachel Kimball is having a week's vacation from her work at the store for L. L. Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have finished work at "The Lodge" for Rudy Vallee at West Lovell. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stearns are taking their place.

Mrs. Alice Dowell and Truman Stearns were in Norway Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Edith Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stone are living in Roger Brown's rent at the village.

Archie Milliken has been staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Andrews while his parents Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Milliken have been having a week's vacation from their work on Eastman Hill.

Leon Harmon with crew are building a cottage near Narrows Bridge at West Lovell.

Mrs. Eliza Farnham spent Monday forenoon with Mrs. W. B. McKeen.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

A program was presented at the school house Monday evening. Included in the program was picture slides shown on the beauties of Maine by J. H. Babb of the Department of Agriculture, Augusta. Later in the evening refreshments were on sale and games were enjoyed by the children.

Mrs. Walter Woods has returned to her home in Malden, Mass., after spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Lenwood Andrews. Mary Jacobson of West Paris will assist in the home for a time.

Mrs. Lawrence Strout of Mechanic Falls is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Felt and Miss Helva Helkkinen.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meserve left Tuesday for Washington County on a hunting trip.

Gayden Davis is one of the early successful deer hunters in this vicinity.

Frank Davis and Dannie Bryant are on a hunting trip at Grafton this week.

The Willing Workers will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Vera Buck on Wednesday Nov. 8th. This will be an all day meeting.

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EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Littlefield and two children of Auburn were guests of his father, V. H. Littlefield, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight and daughter Barbara were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bickford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warren and daughter Wilma, also Mrs. Josie Taylor called on friends at Mechanic Falls Sunday.

Ralph Klucken of Orono was at home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill and son Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls McAllister were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meserve in Berwick Sunday.

Miss Grant and Miss Gibson attended the teachers' convention at Lewiston Thursday and Friday.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said October. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles W. Whitman, late of Norway, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ellery C. Park as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will, presented by Ellery C. Park, the executor therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

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BETHEL

Mrs. Donald O'Brien has finished work at Bethaven Inn.

Miss Katherine Dailey is working for Mrs. Harold Lurvey.

F. A. Goddard and his niece, Miss Ardell N. Lorimer, were in Berlin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson left Wednesday to spend the winter in the South.

Charles Eames of Plymouth, N. H., called on his mother, Mrs. J. B. Chapman, Sunday.

Misses Edna McMillin, Luella and Margaret Gallant spent Saturday in Gorham, N. H.

Misses Ethel Jodrey, Celia Smith and Lois Mason of Portland were week-end guests in town.

Miss Marjorie Fish has resumed her duties at Mrs. Doris Brown's after enjoying a week's vacation.

Mrs. Chester G. French and son, William Perkins, of Norway Lake spent Thursday with Mrs. Herbert Tift.

Miss Margaret Hamlin of Portland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamlin.

Mrs. Guy Crouse returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Burgess, at Sanford.

Miss Grace Lowe is enjoying a vacation from her work at Bethel Inn. Miss Helen Lowe is taking her place.

Mrs. Clyde Coombs and daughter, Elaine of Mechanic Falls are spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Jack Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Brien and children, Patsy and Billy, visited in Nashua and Boston over the week-end.

Mrs. Gilbert Brown underwent a surgical operation at the Massachusetts Memorial Hospital in Boston Wednesday.

Several from Bethel attended the reception given Mrs. Addie Saunders Monday evening at the Union Hall, Hanover.

Mrs. Mabel Beckler and Miss Helen Beckler have moved to the rent of Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin for the winter.

Mrs. Norris Brown, Mrs. Walter Jodrey and Miss Marjorie Fish spent Saturday in Gorham and Berlin, N. H.

Harold Young spent the week-end with relatives in Hallowell.

Richard Lyon shot a bear in his father's orchard on Grover Hill one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Mason left town Monday for Boston. They will be at the Myles Standish Hotel for some weeks.

O'Neil and Edward Robertson of the University of Maine were at their home here for the week-end. They were accompanied by James Hucins of Presque Isle.

Everett Gration of Augusta, executive secretary of the Maine Development Commission, will show motion pictures and speak at the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce at the Legion Rooms next Tuesday evening.

At the meeting of Purity Chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, Past Matrons' and Past Patrons' Night was observed. Supper was served at 6.30 in the Masonic dining room by the Mothers' Club of the Methodist Church.

The Junior Girl Scouts held a Halloween party at the Legion Rooms Friday evening, assisted by Mrs. Mabel O'Brien, Alice Pierce, Priscilla Carver, Marilyn Marshall and Patsy O'Brien decorated for the party. Twenty girls were present and enjoyed Halloween games and a buffet lunch.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

There were eight scouts and two officials present at the regular Boy Scout meeting, Monday evening, October 30.

Knot tying was practiced and games played after the meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends, relatives, and members of the mill crew and organizations for the gifts and contributions received at our silver wedding anniversary Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of Oct. 30

Grade	Savings Bank	Total	Per cent
I	\$6.00	\$2.35	52
II	4.00	2.65	64
III	4.00	3.50	57
IV	3.00	2.80	66
V	\$22.00	\$11.30	
VI	\$6.00	\$1.75	47.3
VII	7.00	3.45	67.7
VIII	4.00	1.50	44
	3.00	2.50	46.4
	\$20.00	\$9.20	

Fourth and Sixth Grades have banners.



TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

TODAY ONLY: \$5 BILLS FOR \$1.98

MANY times, on a wager, men have tried to sell \$5 bills to strangers for as little as \$1.98—legitimate \$5 bills worth \$5 anywhere. They have usually failed.

The reason is simple to see: Lack of confidence.

Their proposition sounded too good to be true, failed to arouse the confidence of the prospects, who were afraid to buy.

No one trusted the seller because no one knew him. He might be a counterfeiter. Who knows? He might have some trick up his sleeve. Who knows? Better have nothing at all to do with him.

Confidence is the mainspring of business. Without it no business can succeed and no product can be sold, because before any one of us is willing to part with a penny, we must have confidence that that which we are going to buy will give us value received.

Confidence is not a matter which can be bought. It must be earned. It is a process of growth. The idea of confidence grows from one customer to the next one. It gives vitality to everything about a business.

When confidence enters into a

business transaction, everything about it becomes pleasant. But whenever confidence is absent, no amount of any other qualities can take its place.

You have often bought something from someone you did not know, say a solicitor who succeeded in taking away your money at the door. Will you ever see him again? Will you get the goods you have paid for? Was it a miniature swindle? You wonder and worry.

You spend hours in painful doubt. Perhaps everything turned out all right. Even so, the profit went out of the transaction when you had to worry about getting your money's worth. Buy goods that are advertised from merchants who advertise. There lies confidence.

One of the chief services of newspaper advertising to consumers is that it denotes which merchants or products are worthy of confidence.

Because newspaper publishers are so jealous of their advertising columns and are quick to reject anything which does not live up to their standards, readers know that if a thing is regularly advertised in the newspaper it is worthy of their confidence.

As a matter of fact, the appearance of an advertisement in a newspaper is recommendation of the character and quality of the goods being advertised.

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LEGION AUXILIARY NOTES

The Second District Council of the American Legion Auxiliary met Saturday afternoon, Oct. 28, in the Municipal Building at Rumford. The meeting was opened in due form by State Vice-President Mary Dumas of Lisbon Falls. Distinguished guests present were Gladys Jameson, State President, of Augusta; Anna Lovely, State Treasurer, of Old Town; and Past State President Agnes Bradley of Rumford. Anna Lovely gave a brief talk on Auxiliary affairs in general.

Mrs. Jameson gave an interesting talk on her trip to Chicago, as a national delegate, in her usual charming manner. Arleen Jordan of Dixfield was installed as Council Secretary. In closing, two accordion solos were rendered by Miss McDonald and a Halloween reading was given by Master Leon Grant. The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. Mr. Clark, who spoke on "Responsibility." A buffet lunch was served in the Legion rooms following the meeting.

Those attending from Bethel were Carrie French, Mary Clark, Maude Bean, Iola Forbes, Irene Luxton, Marjorie McAllister, Frances Bennett, Olive Lurvey, and L. Adeline Fish.

The Auxiliary will serve the Chamber of Commerce with a supper at their rooms, Nov. 7. Mrs. Mable O'Brien will be chairman.

Armistice Day will be observed Nov. 9 at the Legion Rooms. Mrs. Carrie French, Americanism chairman, will be in charge of the occasion.

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GILEAD

There will be a hot-dish supper and dance at the Town Hall Friday night, November 3. Supper will be served at 5.30. This is for the benefit of the School Dental Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Woods have moved to Larry Lozier's camp for the winter, where Mrs. Woods will cook for the crew.

D. A. Brigitte is spending a few days home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Judkins and daughter Patsy of Oquossoc were Sunday guests at G. D. Daniels.

The postoffice is being moved from the store, where it has been several years, to the C. H. Cole house. Miss Shirley Cole has been appointed postmistress to succeed her father, the late C. H. Cole.

Russell Cole was in Berlin Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of West Paris were callers at Amedee Flette's Sunday to see Esther Stevens, who is living there.

Miss Shirley Bennett and Miss Arlene Donahue spent the week-end at their homes here from their schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peabody and family were in Waterville visiting relatives, from Thursday to Sunday.

George Daniels and daughter, Dorothy are staying at Amedee Flette's for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Deoster have moved into the rent at the C. H. Cole house.

Percy Moffitt of Peru, Vermont is boarding at E. O. Donahue's and running the power shovel at Wild River.

Orrin Wilson and wife have moved into one of Russell Cole's rents.

Edward Holden of the Bartlett Central Repair Shop, Bartlett, N. H., is spending his vacation at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Paquette were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mrs. Ada Cole and Mrs. Clifford Cole were in Bethel recently.

Miss Emeline Heath of Machias was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Heath.

Mrs. A. D. Wight went to Norway last Sunday to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. Edna Corey.

Miss Frances Barrett of Somerville, Mass., was a recent visitor in town.

MILTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sessions of Waterville were in town Monday to attend the funeral services of his brother, Albert Sessions.

Miss Florence Burnham and Miss Clara Jackson attended the teachers' convention at Lewiston Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Basha Ackley returned home Sunday from Waterville where she had been visiting her son Charles Sessions and family.

Mrs. Daisy Buck held an auction at her home Tuesday and plans to close her home for the winter and move to Bryant Pond.

Several from here attended the Halloween party at the school house at East Milton Friday evening.

Callers at William Dyer's Sunday were Mrs. Blanche Birney and Miss Marie Birney of Poland and Mrs. Beekie Given of Rumford Corner.

Carlton Clifford shot a deer recently.

Mrs. Lillian Coffin of Rumford visited Miss Clara Jackson a few days recently.

Callers at Addie Lapham's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Clifford of Rumford.

SOUTH BETHEL

Shirley Chase and wife visited with his brother Robert Sunday.

Vinton Tibbetts has moved his family to Dixfield where he has employment.

Edgar Rainey has moved to the Phil Chaddbourne house.

The lucky hunters of this place are Alfred Mason, Gerald Walker and Guy Smith. Each one got a deer.

Herbert Hatfield has moved from the Tibbetts house to the Burgess rent.

Henry Brooks of Andover was a caller at Frank Brooks' Sunday.

Raymond Harthorne of Norway visited with relatives in this place Sunday.

Joseph Leonard has been visiting with Archie Cole of Howe Hill the past week.

Albert Felt and wife of Woodstock were callers at Frank Brooks' Monday.

Oscar Tibbetts was making calls in this place Sunday.

Archie Cole of Howe Hill intends to move back to his place here soon.

NORTH NEWRY

Schools in town closed last Wednesday for the remainder of the week to permit the teachers to attend the teachers' convention at Lewiston.

Ray Hanscom of Errol, N. H., was a caller at his brother's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight were over night guests Saturday at his home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Peiren and Miss Barbara Ginnis of South Andover called at L. E. Wight's Saturday night.

The Young People had a Halloween Social at the hall at Newry Corner Friday night with young people from Bethel as guests.

Branch School Notes

From a total enrollment of 19, 16 pupils have a perfect attendance for seven weeks at the Branch School; Edith Conrad, Mabel Johnston, Georgia Walte, Vada Enman, Geneva Johnston, Elaine Vail, Gloria Walte, Elden Bennett, Barbara Walte, Clarence Walte, Paul Wight, Elizabeth Lane, Sigurd Olson, Richard Blake, Theodore Olson, Owen Wight.

A Halloween Party was enjoyed by the pupils of the Branch School Tuesday afternoon. There were six visitors: Mrs. Leon Enman, Mrs. Littlehale, Mrs. Auger, Mrs. Walte, Mrs. Hanscom, Amy Hanscom.

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NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

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THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NOTES

Thursday, Nov. 2nd: The Southham Circle meets.

Friday: The Lovell Circle meets.

Saturday: The Lovell Church will observe its annual Roll Call day. The event will be marked by the calling of the roll of members, a supper and a speaker.

Sunday, Nov. 5th: This is Communion Sunday throughout the Parish. A special Roll Call Sunday will be marked in the Lovell Church.

In the afternoon the nominating committee of the United Parish will meet to prepare a slate of officers for the coming year.

Sunday evening the Pilgrim Fellowship will hold its monthly meeting in Watford. The Harrison group will be guests. Rev. Rensel Colby of South Paris will be the speaker; his young people's group will also be there. A lunch at 6 p. m.

Monday evening: Watford Men's Club. Speaker to be announced. Also Monday evening a Teachers' Meeting of the Lovell Sunday School.

Tuesday: The first of a series of Tuesday night meetings will be held in the North Lovell School house. The service will be informal, combining a hymn sing with a Bible study. The Gospel of Mark will be used for the study.

Also Tuesday evening: The North Watford Church Council has its first meeting.

Wednesday evening, the 8th: The Lovell Young Adult group will meet at the parsonage. This is the second meeting. The discussion: "How we can best keep America at peace" led by Elton Hobson and Gordon Eastman will be followed by a social hour.

Thursday evening: The annual council meeting of the Oxford County United Parish starts at 3.30 o'clock in North Watford. Ralph W. Haskel will speak on "Home Handicrafts."

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THE GIFT WIFE

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I—On board the Nord-Express, bound for Ostend, Dr. David Jebb was looking for America. With him is five-year-old Cynthia Thatch, his ten-year-old son. On the train they meet Bill Ganes, a former classmate of David's. David tells Ganes of his mission, and of his unquenchable desire for liquor. Jebb feels the urge coming to him again, and wants to disregard the child, whose father is dead and whose mother awaits her coming in the United States.

CHAPTER II—David receives a minor injury while on the train, and a sympathetic passenger pours brandy down his throat. That is sufficient to kindle the desire for liquor. Jebb takes the brandy with him, leaves the train, and begins drinking. Bill Ganes, the old schoolmate, remains on board the train.

CHAPTER III—A strange incantation wakes Jebb from a dull stupor. His brain is a fog, he looks around, seeing a strange woman, dressed in flowing robes and heavily veiled. In broken English she tells him he is in Uskub, that her name is Miruma, and that she will take care of him. She had not seen Cynthia, who is missing. Later Miruma tells him she is the wife of a Pasha, but wife in name only. The Pasha has another wife—a true wife whom he loves dearly. Miruma means nothing to the Pasha. Finding Jebb is a surgeon, she tells him of a powerful man in Uskub, Akel Bey, whose son is slowly dying.

CHAPTER IV—Jebb moves to a hotel, seeking the lost Cynthia. He seeks no answer. However, he calls at the home of Akel Bey, meets on his son, and saves the boy's life, thus earning the family's deep gratitude.

CHAPTER V—Jebb is surprised by a visit from the Pasha, who has heard of his prowess as a surgeon. He wants Jebb to examine the wife he loves, Nahir Hanum, who is ill. David examines her, decides an operation is necessary. The Pasha fears for her life, and Nahir Hanum is also frightened, but David tells her her life will be lost without prompt attention.

CHAPTER VI

Nahir Hanum was too weak to be very curious. The ebbing of her life had brought its own anesthesia to soul and body. Her chief emotion was a dim wonder, like moonlight wavering through a fog. A part of her was detached from the rest of her.

The soft-brained Miruma was far more terrified than she. He stood looking off womanly tenderness and whispering to himself to be a man, lest Jebb despise him.

The doctor selected a scalpel of medium size and holding it like a violin bow drew it across the skin, which parted and drew back like silk. Then he incised the thin straw-like covering of the fascia of the greater breast muscle, and pressed the blade through its stout fabric.

"Some retractors," he said.

Miruma felt the room rocking. "The retractors, quick!" Jebb repeated sharply, and he fitted them into the opposite edges of the muscle to hold it back.

"The forceps," he commanded, "and a clamp."

Clamping one end of a severed vein, he picked up the other with the forceps.

"Hold this!" He gave the forceps into Miruma's white hand, while he snatched up a catgut thread, looped it over the mouth of an artery, and knotted it with a dexterity a sailor would have envied. And so he did with all the small arteries he was compelled to cut.

"Give me a couple of toothed forceps, quick."

Miruma handed him a carilage knife.

"Hell," growled Jebb as he snatched two forceps himself, and delicately fastened one of them in the wall of the pericardium.

"Hold this, and be careful," and he put the forceps in Miruma's grip. "Don't move."

He seized the wall a little lower down in the other forceps, transferred them to his left hand, with his right reached for the scissors and made a slight incision, which he lengthened a trifle with a probe-pointed knife.

Nothing result so delighted him as he called out to the waiter: "Bring me a glass of brandy." "You ought to please you, old man," he said, turning the yellow devil's face "am scatter!" "But, with every faculty at work, his task of reconstruction was not light. He had come safely through a thousand dangers, and he breathed deep.

It was a long and busy week before Jebb felt that Nahir Hanum could safely be entrusted to the care of Miruma and Miruma, though he had schooled them in all the tasks and problems that were likely to arise. Meanwhile Gani Bey was flourishing in the radiant household of his father and mother. He felt that he had a right to set about his own business.

Jebb called upon the Pasha and after as much delicacy of palaver as his curt soul could manage, he broached the hateful subject of compensation.

"Your servant can never repay you for your service by mere paras and piastres, Jebb Effendim, but may he ask what you would consider a fair recompense?"

His smile turned to a grimace of pain as Jebb answered crisply:

"Twelve hundred pounds."

"Mazallah! It is the price of the wife herself."

Having led him into the noose, Jebb tightened it.

"I will throw off one thousand pounds of my bill, Pasha, if you will release Miruma Hanim and restore her nekayah."

"You ask me to—divorce my wife?"

"Your other wife."

"But, why-why? Do you want to marry her?"

"If I wanted to marry her, should I be leaving Uskub tomorrow, forever?"

"You leave Uskub forever! What of my poor sick wife—my Bash-Kadin? You will leave her to die?"

"The best thing I can think of to cure your wife, Pasha, would be the news that she no longer had a young and beautiful rival. If you went to her, and said, 'You are my only wife now,' it would be better than any medicine I could prescribe."

The Pasha was breathing deeply and his eye was softening.

"And," Jebb added, "you will save one thousand pounds of my fee."

"You think my wife Nahir is well enough to leave?"

"With the instructions I have given him, Miruma Effendi can bring her back to health in two or three months."

"And you truly think it will help her to recover if I inform her that I shall put away the gift wife?"

"It will help more than all my skill."

"Then your servant will obey your instructions in everything."

"Miruma Hanim shall have her talak and her nekayah."

"On my honor, and as soon as the court will grant the decree," and once more: "You are sure you are leaving Uskub forever?"

"Tomorrow without fail. If you could have my money at my hotel—"

"It will be there, effendim. For your skill, I shall pray Allah also to reward you. For your journey, Allah emanet ooloni!"

Jebb had, indeed, resolved to leave Uskub forever, and Miruma forever. The fierce demands of his duties to the lost child, cried out against him for his neglect, though he felt absolved to a degree by the necessity of earning funds and saving the lives perishing at his very feet. But now there was no further excuse to give his conscience.

He had come to know Miruma better, through the veil, the actual veil she wore and the impalpable yet impenetrable veil her self-respect, her duty, the danger of their situation drew about her. And he had come to love her and desire her with a passion his heart had never dreamed itself capable of entertaining.

He planned to hurry forth to hunt the lost child. He dreamed that he stumbled upon her without delay. He imagined himself telegraphing Miruma to join him and go with him to America as his wife.

And then his thanks choked in his throat. A chill hand seemed to reach from the fog and throttle him. It was his curse that had brought him to Uskub with infinite disgrace, with a deep shame that he had concealed only by cowardly silence.

His curse forbade him to marry any woman, least of all Miruma.

He thought long and fiercely over his farewell to Miruma. He wrote many letters and tore them in pieces. Worn out and nauseated with life, he dashed off and sealed the curtest message of all, with no hint of the love that neither had expressed in a word, and both had understood with all their hearts.

Miruma Hanim—Madame:

I leave for Salonica by the next train. I shall hunt for the child until I find her. I will let you know when I do. Fehmi Pasha has promised me on his honor that he will grant you at once a talak and restore your nekayah in full. I should like to be assured of this. You might send me word, if it is not too much trouble. My permanent address will be the Union Bank, I Graben 13, Vienna (Viyana), Austria.

With all good wishes,
Yours faithfully,
DAVID JEBB

CHAPTER VII

Salonica, the Hot Springs of Ancient Greece, seemed pretty ancient to the Yankee surgeon who came in an express train and took a cab to the Grand Hotel d'Angleterre.

Hellwald and the British consul had helped him over the important matter of his missing papers, had provided him with a substitute for his lost passport and a teskere, or license to travel; had coached him in the important intricacies of Turkish machinery and given him cordial letters to the representatives of Great Britain and Austria in Salonica.

When he left the train he was compelled to have his teskere vided by a Turkish official, who took it in charge until he should leave the town again.

"Will the effendi look through his papers and see if by chance he is holding another teskere of mine?" he asked.

He did not fail to slip a little baksheesh under the documents on the desk. The recorder ransacked his files graciously.

"Daveet Jebb Effendi could not have passed through Salonica—at least not openly and legally."

Jebb dissipated the menace of this suggestion with a further insinuation of baksheesh and hastened to his cab.

At the Austrian consulate Jebb was received with the distinction due his recommendations as a friend

with him.

"You're in a blue funk, old man, and you oughtn't to be at all."

"I'm always alone," said Jebb grimly.

"Well, I'll do my best to make Salonica an exception. There's not much to occupy an Anglo-Saxon in Salonica unless you're interested in politics. We rather feel we're sitting on dynamite. The Young Turks are in power but they have an Augean stable to clean up, and the old Sultan isn't dead yet."

"What have they done with the old Sultan?"

"Why, haven't you heard? He's here—here in Salonica. Fact! He is a kind of prisoner de luxe, settled in a wonderful villa built ten years ago by an Italian for the Allatini family. Now the government has turned it into a gilded cage for the ex-Sultan. They didn't quite like to treat him as we did Charles I, but he's a problem, and no mistake. The old tarantula may pop up any day and there are people enough eager to help him back to his web."

"But let's not talk Turkish politics. I hear nothing else all day. Let's go to a cafe chantant."

"Anything to get my mind off my troubles."

The admission was only two piastres or ten cents apiece. The price seemed small till the musicians began, then it seemed excessive.

Banbury chose a table and the waiter brought them coffee. Banbury rejected it with horror and ordered Scotch and soda, in which Jebb begged to be excused from joining him.

At a table in front of him, Jebb noticed a fat neck and short, bristly poll of distinctly French extraction. Eventually their owner turned his face, glanced at Jebb, stared, turned away, turned back, looked uneasy, angry, pugnacious, puzzled.

Jebb wondered what ailed the man. He was sure he had never seen him before. At length the stranger rose and left the hall, and Jebb gave his soul to the Miserere from "Il Trovatore."

He was absorbed so deeply in the music that he failed to notice at first the arrival of a police officer who spoke deferentially to Banbury. Banbury was melting sympathetically under the influence of Scotch and Verdi, but he was instant with an Englishman's rage at any invasion of his privacy.

Jebb turned in surprise and found the Turkish officer regarding him with a piercing scrutiny, which Jebb answered with the clear-eyed innocence of ignorance. He caught a word here and there and gleaned that the conversation had to do with a French hotelkeeper named Moosoo

Carolet, some other person named Pierpont, and an unpaid bill.

Banbury grew more and more furious as he thundered Turkish with a curious British intonation. The officer grew more and more humble and finally withdrew in confusion with much apology and many a salaam.

When he had gone, Banbury said, "This is the most ghastly country in God's world. What do you suppose that jackass of a policeman wanted? It would be no end funny if it weren't so disgustingly impertinent. It seems that some silly ass of a French hotelkeeper here had a guest who lived very royally for a few days then skipped without stopping to pay the shot. This jackass sees you and thinks you are Pierpont. He goes to the police and orders your arrest. The officer came to me with apologies for throwing a friend of mine into a dungeon as a common thief, but I sent him about his business."

"That's mighty nice of you."

"Don't think any more about it. Have another cigar and a cup of coffee, and let us hope that soprano is really not so unhappy as she sounds."

"By the way, what was the name of the hotel?"

"The Grand Hotel de—something or other. I don't remember. Don't think of it again, I beg you."

But Jebb thought of it without rest. At length Banbury rose impatiently. The Scotch had made him drowsy, but he blamed the Italian music.

"I can't stand any more of this caterwaul, can you? What do you say to our getting out? I'll drop you at your hotel, eh?"

"Thank you, I think I'll see it through."

"Very well, I'll wait if you want to."

"Please don't let me keep you."

Banbury insisted on Jebb's dining

with him.

It took much delicate management, but Banbury was very, very sleepy and at last permitted Jebb to bid him good-night. As soon as he was out of the building, Jebb rose and searched for the policeman. He was greeted with profound courtesy. Jebb had been mulling the affair over in his head, and he was able to ask in intelligible if inelegant Turkish:

"Will you please tell me the name of the hotel kept by Musu Carolet?"

"The Grand Hotel de l'Europe, effendim. He is a dog of a fool to have suspected you."

Jebb bowed and murmured: "Good-night," and the official answered, "You are welcome."

Jebb sauntered carelessly out of the cafe and, calling an araba, said: "Grand Hotel de l'Europe."

Arriving there he told the araba to wait. He found the office alight and M. Carolet talking excitedly to a lady who was presumably Mme. Carolet.

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"I was sure of it, monsieur. You look most like that miserable pig-dog of a Pierpont. I see now that you are not the man—he was much thinner and not at all like you. I apologize humbly."

"When was Mr. Pierpont here?"

"It was two weeks, monsieur. He arrives in state. He seems to have a little too much of the gin or the wiskee, but we others always expect that from the English and Americans. He orders the best room in the house, the best food, and he drinks much of the wiskee. Then one day—his room is empty. He does not come back."

"How much was his bill?"

"Five pounds Turkish."

"Is it that he left of the baggage?"

"No, monsieur. He brought nothing with him. He said he expected his yacht to come for him. He bought fresh linen here in the shops and threw the old away."

Jebb smiled sadly. The portrait sounded familiar.

"Did Mr. Pierpont register?"

"Yes, monsieur."

"May I see the signature?"

"But yes, monsieur."

Mme. Carolet whisked the little book from a drawer and Jebb recognized his own writing with a conflict of relief and shame. The name was Vanderbilt Pierpont, but the hand was the hand of Jebb.

"One more question. Is it that Mr. Pierpont had a child with him—a little girl?"

"No, monsieur, not one."

"From what city was he come?"

"That he did not say, monsieur, and he had not of the baggage, monsieur. He talked very little and his tongue was a little thick."

"I will pay his bill."

"Nom de Dieu, you will pay the bill! But why should monsieur pay the bill of that gentleman?"

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But having found his alias, how was he to retrace his route? Long after midnight he sat in his room pounding his forehead with his fist to beat out an idea, and finally one came like a spark from a smitten anvil.

"The teskere!"

He could hardly endure the delay all morning, and he was waiting at the station when the fat recorder of passports waddled in and squeezed into his chair.

And at length after much delay he unearthed the document.

"Yes, effendim, here is the permission for V. Pierpont Effendi to travel from Constantinople into the interior. It carries the visa of Salonica in the writing of my assistant. I was absent that day."

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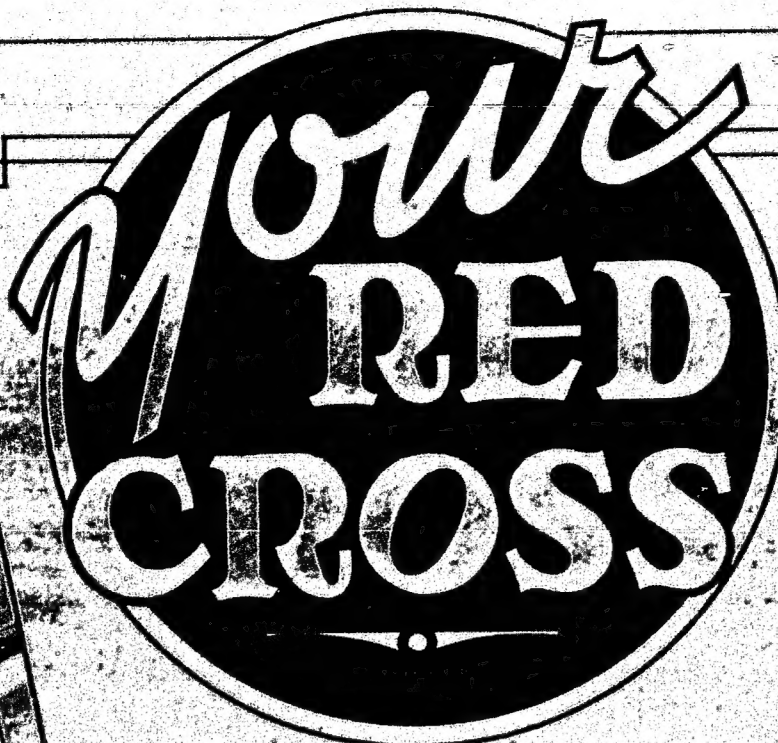
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"I think so, effendim," smiled the Turk, shaking like a vat of jelly: "the train to Constantinople runs three times every week, and the next train leaves tomorrow."

Another twenty-four hours of inaction! It seemed that he could not tolerate the delay. He was finished with Salonica, so impatient to be quit of it that he was tempted to set out for Constantinople on foot. He actually climbed the steep hillside, through the Turkish quarter.

Young girls hung about the fountains filling their jugs, and a dozen times Jebb saw some profile, some little form that suggested Cynthia. But he was all too well assured that she was not in Salonica.

He kept walking and late in the afternoon he reached the southern limits of the city, where houses were few and fields broad. In the distance he saw a splendid palace in a great garden surrounded by a high wall. He skirted the edges and continued on his way till it began to grow dark. Seeing that the sunset was purpling Mt. Olympus and that night would soon be upon him, he turned back.

He was startled by distant cries. He saw people running here and there. Suddenly a little veiled figure came out of the twilight and the shrubbery close to him. Jebb thought that some poor Turkish wife was fleeing from murder or persecution. He determined to offer her his protection. He ran towards her shouting in English. As he came up the little veiled figure drew two revolvers and fired at him.

The bullets whirled past his ears. He would have been glad to retreat but his impetus carried him forward, and it was momentum rather than any foolhardy bravery that led him to leap at the murderous lady and wrestle with her for her revolvers, which continued to spit fire in a very feminine way and fortunately with feminine aim.

In the highly indecorous wrestle for life, the fugitive's thick yashmak was torn loose, and Jebb saw to his infinite amazement that the little lady wore a heavy beard, and was a little old man.

The captive kept uttering violent things in a violent way; then he began to plead shrilly. But Jebb had lost his Turkish along with his breath and his patience; and he simply held his prisoner fast, till the pursuers arrived. They gazed with awe at the scene, pouring forth horrified sentences in which Jebb caught the word "Padishahi!"

He nearly swooned as it came over him that the little old gentleman in the disheveled ferije and veil was no less—and no more—than Abdul Hamid I.

To Be Continued

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
WHEREAS, Winfred E. Harmon, of Brownfield, County of Oxford and State of Maine, guardian of Miriam W. and Walter E. Harmon, by her mortgage deed dated March 26, 1932, recorded in the W. D. Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 127, Page 338, conveyed in her said capacity to Fidelity Trust Company, a banking corporation duly organized and existing by law, and located at Portland, County of Cumberland and State of Maine, the following land and buildings, viz: Homestead and homestead buildings situated on the northerly side of the road leading from East Brownfield to Brownfield Village, in said town of Brownfield, now occupied by said Winfred E. Harmon, Miriam W. and Walter E. Harmon, and which was bequeathed to said Miriam W. and Walter E. Harmon by the last Will and Testament of their late father, Thomas Harmon, under the first paragraph of his will, abstract of which said will is recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 114, Page 587, and comprising some fifty acres, more or less, and

WHEREAS, Robert Braun of said Portland, is now and has been since March 29, 1933 the duly appointed, qualified and acting Conservator for said Fidelity Trust Company, whereby he became and is now the holder of said mortgage in his said capacity, and

WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been and now is broken.

NOW, THEREFORE, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, said Robert Braun, holder of said mortgage, claims a foreclosure thereof.

Dated at Portland, Maine, October 25, 1939.
Robert Braun
Conservator of Fidelity Trust Company

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



SONGO POND

John Bennett is still under the doctor's care.

Frank Parsons is confined to his home with seven broken ribs which he received when the truck he was driving overturned.

Miss Ethel Smith, Locke Mills, visited with her aunt, Mrs. H. N. Grindle, Thursday.

Miss Evelyn Grindle is quite ill with a bad cold.

Mrs. Lillian Kimball visited with her mother and sister Sunday afternoon.

Frank Smith and Laurence Sessions, Locke Mills, were callers at H. N. Grindle's Thursday. They were hunters in Albany.

David Blum and friends of Auburn were hunting in this vicinity Saturday.

Leslie Kimball was in Gorham, N. H., Monday on business.

Miss Helen Kimball has left her work at Norway and returned home on account of illness.

NOTICE OF LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank has been notified that book of deposit issued by said bank and numbered 3869 has been destroyed or lost, and it is desired that a new book of deposit be issued.

BETHEL SAVINGS BANK
Fred F. Bean, Treas.
October 18, 1939

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Arthur Haselton was ill with asthma several days last week.

Lauri Immonen has bought the Durgin lot and Will McAllister Sr. and son, Will Jr., have taken the job to clear it.

Miss Margaret Merriam spent the week-end at the Cummings farm with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bumpus.

Mrs. Eva Barker's infected hand is better. Her sister Florence is with her now, as Mrs. Merlie Stone was taken ill with grippe and obliged to return home to Lovell.

About 50 members of the Maine Mineralogical Society visited the Bumpus mine Sunday.

Callers at Mrs. Carrie Logan's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray-

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William Adams hauled wood for Mrs. Jean Annis last week.

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus and children were in Auburn and Lewiston Friday and Saturday.

Manning Chapman and Arthur Morgan from Bethel are working at the Bumpus mine.

Miss Cora Bumpus, Mrs. Harlan Bumpus and son Kenneth called at Mrs. Leon Kimball's Monday.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, November 5th
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
Sermon subject, "Writing Paul's Letters."
6:30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. M. A. Gorton, Pastor
9:45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent.

11:00 Sunday Morning Worship.
Special singing by Choir. John Anderson, leader. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Subject of sermon, "Measuring Our Life."

6:30 Epworth League. Debate: Shall we repeal the arms embargo? Kenneth Brooks and Alfred Brown vs. Mrs. Leona Anderson and Herbertina Norton.

7:30 Evening Service. Hymns, Poems, Your Favorite Verse. Subject of talk, What is Religion? Group meeting at Berlin Tuesday, afternoon and evening, Nov. 7th.

Mothers' Club meets Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 8, with Mrs. Verna Dyke and Mrs. Marjorie Freeman. Program in charge of Mrs. Doris Brown.

Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon, Nov. 9, with Mrs. Millie Wentzell.

Annual Roll Call of Church Sunday evening, Nov. 12th.

Children Workers Conference Tuesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 21st.

I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you. St. John 14: 18.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"Adam and fallen man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ. Scientist, on Sunday, Nov. 5.

The Golden Text is: "Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light" (Ephesians 5: 14).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God. And if children, then heirs, heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him that we may be also glorified together" (Romans 8: 16-17).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

WEST PARIS CLUB TO PRESENT

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On Friday evening, Nov. 3, at 8 o'clock the three act drama, "Look Who's Here," will be presented by the L. C. Bates Men's Club at the West Paris Grange Hall, with the following cast:

Lyman Winchell, just a husband, Lewis Mann
Estelle Winchell, just his wife, Mary Jacobson
Tommy Rotonah, just a pet, Fred Grover

Grace Sterling, just a fiancé, Gertrude Rich
Alice Bainbridge, just Lyman's aunt, Hazel Perham

Jennie, just a servant, Helen Mann
Jimmie, just a delivery boy, Gordon Verrill

Irene Andrews, just Estelle's friend, Natalie Perham
Rose Stanford, just another friend, Rachel Forbes

Everett Chase has moved to his brother's at South Bethel.

GROVER NORTON
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The couple left for 10 days in Pittsfield, where the bridegroom is employed by the Lucas Tree Surgery Company, after which they will reside in Rockland for the present.

Both bride and bridegroom are graduates of Gould Academy, the bridegroom in 1935 and the bride in 1939.

BORN
In Holster's Mills, Oct. 29, to the wife of Earl Grover, a son, Lloyd Arthur.

MARRIED
In Bethel, Oct. 26, by Rev. Louis A. Dole, Walter H. Grover and Miss Lydia L. Norton.

DIED
In Norway, Oct. 30, Charles W. Whitman, aged 82 years.

In Conway, N. H., Oct. 28, Miss Arabell Bead, native of Lovell, aged 75 years.

In Andover, Oct. 29, Mrs. Roxie Williamson, aged 72 years.

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The following students achieved an average rank of 85% in all subjects, with no grade below 80, and are entitled to certain privileges in the library, school, and dormitory: P. G. Herbert Foote; Seniors, Nathaniel Bartholomae, Gurdon Buck, Mary Buck, Barbara Cummings, Kathryn Davis, Marilyn Howe, Alida Verrill, Rodney Wentzell, Sherman Williamson; Juniors, Amy Bennett, Hartwell Blanchard, Erik Brown, June Chipman, Clayton Crockett, Natalie Foster, Muriel Hall, Fern Lane, Marian Wight; Sophomores, Priscilla Abbott, Nicholas Amato, Hope Bean, Muriel Bean, Emma Blake, Jane Chesley, Dorothy Fish, Elizabeth Gorman, Ruby Jewell, Alzona Lord, Susie Lovejoy, Richard McFee, and Helen Williamson; Freshmen, Herbertina Norton, Elmer Runyon, Ruth Areson, Louisa Bacon, Barbara Coolidge, Mary Dorion, Dora Gallant, Rachel Gordon, Robert Greenleaf, Richard Jordan, Vera Leighton, Glendon McAllister, Jean Tirrell and Carolyn Wight.

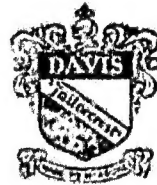
The following girls will go to Augusta Friday to attend the Girl Reserve Conference: Kathryn Davis, State Girl Reserve Secretary, June Chipman, Marilyn Howe, Betty McLaren, Betty Runyon, Lucie Packard, Patricia Lavery and Rachel Field, and Faculty Advisor, Margaret Stevens.

On Wednesday afternoon the Girl Reserves held a meeting in the assembly hall. A song service was enjoyed, after which all made favors for the banquet for the Girl Reserve Conference in Augusta.

YOUNGS' PARTY

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and Mrs. G. L. Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Doyen, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. William Von Zintz, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brinck, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gallant, Miss Marguerite Hall, Mrs. Lucion Littlehale, Mrs. Fred Wheeler, Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, Mrs. Henry Boyker, Mrs. Leslie Davis, Mrs. Arpol Brown, Mrs. Walter Jodrey, Mrs. Gordon Merrill, Miss Muriel Hall, Miss Barbara Hall, Miss Virginia Chapman, Miss Marion Chapman, Miss Virginia Davis, John King, Quentin Hall, Mrs. Homer Smith, Mrs. Wade Thurston, Miss Christie Thurston, Miss Hilda Lillmatta, Howard Thurston, Clinton Buck, Kenneth Buck, Sherwood Buck, W. M. Mack, J. P. Butts, Mrs. John Poole, Mrs. Jesse Chapman, Mary Lou Chapman, Betty Smith, Miss Carlene Farnham, Richard Young, Mrs. Bert Brown, Mrs. Charles Gorman, Mrs. Sadie Allen, Miss Elizabeth Lyon, Miss Carol Robertson, Stanley Davis, Bruce Scarborough, Hugh Scarborough, Omer Drummond, Harold Lurvey, Charles Freeman, Mrs. Dana Philbrook, Mrs. Henry Godwin, Miss Virginia Walcott, Margery Elita Dudley, Mrs. Carrie Merrill, Mrs. Viola Lord, Miss Julia Bowd, Gilbert LeClair, Stanley Gallant, Mrs. Lloyd Luxton.



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